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Inventor: VIGNAU, Pierre
Filing Date: July 10, 2003
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Art Unit: 3617
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Sir:

In the Notice of Allowance of May 9, 2004, the Examiner stated that copies of the majority of the documents cited in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted on April 22, 2004 were not received. However, the Applicant respectfully submits that all the documents were submitted together, and therefore should all have been received by the Office. Since the Examiner only received some of the documents, it appears that the Office either misplaced or lost in error the remaining documents.

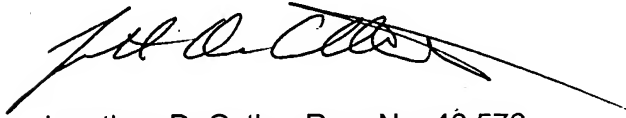
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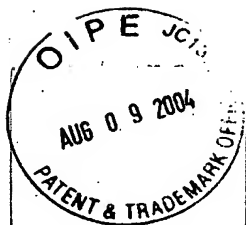
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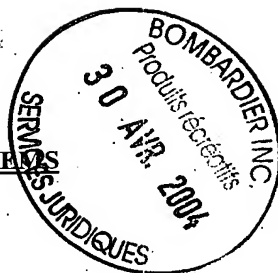
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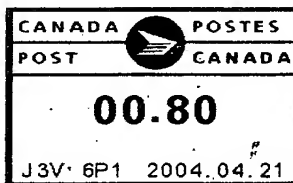
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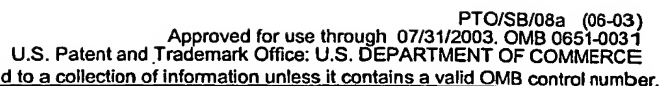
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